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College and Career Expo Returns to Kentucky Exposition Center

\$750,000 in scholarships available

LOUISVILLE, Ky. (September 8, 2016) — The College and Career Expo returns to the Kentucky Exposition Center September 18 for its 25th year of providing information on education and career opportunities. With more than 12,000 attendees each year, the event is one of the largest of its kind in the country.

In just three hours, prospective students and job seekers can speak with more than 250 exhibitors from across the U.S., including colleges, universities, vocational schools and employers. Prospective students can meet individually with college recruiters, career counselors and admission representatives — and possibly receive a portion of the \$750,000 in scholarships available at the event.

The College and Career Expo will be held Sunday, September 18 from 1-4 p.m. in the North Wing. The event is free and open to the public. Parking at the Kentucky Exposition Center is \$8 per car and \$20 per bus.

For more information, visit www.collegeandcareerexpo.com.

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One of the 10 largest facilities of its kind in the U.S., the <u>Kentucky Exposition Center</u> (KEC) features 1.2 million square feet of contiguous exhibit space, including Freedom Hall, an indoor arena that seats 13,500 people. The facility's class "A" exhibit space totals 677,000 square feet and accommodates a wide range of events year round. KEC is the permanent home of the Kentucky State Fair, National Farm Machinery Show, Eddie Ford Kentucky Hoopfest and North American International Livestock Exposition. For more information, go to <u>www.kyexpo.org</u>.

Conveniently located adjacent to the Louisville International Airport and near the junction of three major interstates, KEC is easily accessible and just seven minutes south of downtown Louisville. Entrances to the facility are located off Phillips Lane, Crittenden Drive and Preston Highway. Parking is \$8 per vehicle and \$20 per bus.